

Commerce. Salgado was also awarded "Distinguished Woman" in the Inland Empire Magazine and "Woman of Distinction" by State Senator Mike Morrell. In addition, she was honored with the "Distinguished Citizen Award" by the 3 Peaks District Boy Scouts of America and the "Outstanding Community Member of the Year" award by the Mt. San Jacinto Community College Foundation. Rose Salgado was truly an invaluable member of the community and will continue to be a role model for the young men and women who aspire to selflessly lead and abundantly serve others.

Madam Speaker, I am proud to recognize and honor the life of Rose Salgado. Her remarkable advocacy for the Soboba Band of Luiseño Indians and commitment to the community at large is an example of excellence, dedication, and service that all should seek to emulate.

MATTHEW KROKENBERGER—  
EAGLE SCOUT

### HON. JEFFERSON VAN DREW

OF NEW JERSEY

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

*Friday, June 25, 2021*

Mr. VAN DREW. Madam Speaker, I am here today to recognize Matthew Krokenberger, a Mantua Township Eagle Scout who achieved Scouting's highest rank. Matthew is a senior at Clearview Regional High School and will be attending Rowan College of South Jersey in the fall majoring in psychology. For his Eagle Scout Project, Matthew installed five birdhouses at Branch Park which provided protection and shelter to red wing blackbirds. During his time as a Boy Scout, Matthew has served as his troop's historian, quartermaster, assistant patrol leader, and patrol leader. Matthew has also earned 33 merit badges. These are amazing accomplishments and Matthew and his family should be very proud of the hard work he has done for his community. I wish Matthew nothing but a happy and healthy future, and I know he will go on to do great things. God Bless Matthew and God Bless America.

HONORING THE LIFE OF PASTOR  
ALPHONSO HAMILTON

### HON. KAREN BASS

OF CALIFORNIA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

*Friday, June 25, 2021*

Ms. BASS. Madam Speaker, I rise today to honor the life of Pastor Alphonso Hamilton, beloved husband, father, grandfather, friend, and community leader, who passed away on October 19, 2020. A celebration of Pastor Hamilton's life is taking place on June 26, 2021, for his 92nd birthday.

Born on June 26, 1929 in Shamrock, Florida, Pastor Hamilton became a follower of Christ early in his life at Shamrock Missionary Baptist Church. After serving in the United States Army from 1951 to 1953, Pastor Hamilton attended Shaw University in Raleigh, North Carolina and received a Bachelor of Science in Biology and a minor in Chemistry and General Science. Pastor Hamilton would

also earn a Master of Science in Education from Madison College in Harrisonburg, Virginia.

Pastor Hamilton would go on to teach high school Biology, Chemistry and General Science. During his time teaching high school, he would also serve as the head coach of the basketball team for Booker T. Washington and Robert E. Lee High Schools for 11 years, with a record of eight district championships, two state championships, and a 174–57 record. After 34 impactful years as an educator and coach, Pastor Hamilton retired in 1989.

Pastor Hamilton then served for over 26 years at the First Church of God in Christ in Staunton, Virginia. Pastor Hamilton began as assistant pastor, followed by pastor in 2014. During his tenure, Pastor Hamilton also served as church musician, Sunday School teacher, and other important roles.

I celebrate the life of Pastor Alphonso Hamilton and thank him for his incredible service and devotion to his community.

RECOGNIZING THE 100TH BIRTH-  
DAY OF MR. CLARENCE ENNON

### HON. HAKEEM S. JEFFRIES

OF NEW YORK

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

*Friday, June 25, 2021*

Mr. JEFFRIES. Madam Speaker, I rise today in recognition of Mr. Clarence Ennon, who celebrated his 100th birthday on May 13, 2021. He was born in Cary, Mississippi to Aldonia and Solomon Ennon and educated in Vicksburg, Mississippi. In 1944, his strong resolve and dedication to family, God, and country lead Mr. Ennon to serve in the United States Navy during World War II on a Landing Ship Medium as a Steward's Mate 1st Class Petty officer.

Mr. Ennon has overcome many great obstacles and victories throughout his 100 years of life and continues to inspire everyone he encounters. A devoted father to 5 children, 11 grandchildren, 18 great grandchildren and 11 great-great grandchildren, he has shared boundless knowledge from his rich life experiences and instilled a strong faith in God amongst his family. In 1964, he moved to Bushwick Avenue in Brooklyn, New York and established a dry-cleaning business in Bedford-Stuyvesant. He is a member of First Calvary Baptist Church, where throughout the years he has served as church treasurer, deacon, and member of the senior choir.

A military man, a small business entrepreneur, a homeowner, a family man, Mr. Ennon continues to live a fruitful life. He is an active gardener and a well-known member of the community.

Mr. Ennon's accomplishments would not have been possible without the love and support of his family and friends.

Madam Speaker, I ask that you and my other distinguished colleagues join me in congratulating Mr. Clarence Ennon, Sr. on his 100th birthday.

MARY GRUCCIO

### HON. JEFFERSON VAN DREW

OF NEW JERSEY

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

*Friday, June 25, 2021*

Mr. VAN DREW. Madam Speaker, I am here today to recognize and commend Dr. Mary Gruccio for overcoming adversity and being an inspiration not only to her family, but the South Jersey community. Mary has been an educator for 46 years, all of which have been with the Vineland Public Schools. Mary herself even graduated from Vineland High School. She is not only an advocate for our youth, but she also is a strong believer in giving back to her community and has been active in numerous organizations. One organization that is near and dear to her heart, is the American Cancer Society. Mary battled both cervical and breast cancer, but with the support of her family and friends she was able to beat cancer and now works tirelessly to help others in similar situations and make a positive difference within her community. Mary has had a notable career, from being appointed as Superintendent, to being inducted into the Cumberland County Women's Hall of Fame in 2017. Mary also received Cumberland County's Hometown Heroes award in 2018, and she is no doubt just that . . . a hero. I am proud to represent South Jersey and Mary is one of the many reasons that makes South Jersey great. God Bless Mary and her family and God Bless America.

RECOGNIZING DR. DUSTIN FROULA

### HON. JOSEPH D. MORELLE

OF NEW YORK

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

*Friday, June 25, 2021*

Mr. MORELLE. Madam Speaker, I rise today to honor Dustin Froula, the recipient of the 2020 Ernest Orlando Lawrence award from the United States Department of Energy. Dr. Froula is Senior Scientist and Leader of the Plasma and Ultrafast Physics Group at the Laboratory for Laser Energetics and Associate Professor of Physics in the Department of Physics and Astronomy at the University of Rochester in my district.

Professor Froula joined the University of Rochester in 2010 from the National Ignition Facility Inertial Confinement Fusion Directorate at Lawrence Livermore National Laboratory. His research interests lie in the fields of experimental plasma and laser physics and covers the many areas relevant to inertial confinement fusion and high-energy-density physics.

The E.O. Lawrence award was established in 1959 in honor of a scientist who helped elevate American physics to world leadership and recognizes U.S. scientists and engineers in nine fields, at mid-career, for exceptional contributions in research and development supporting the Department of Energy and its mission to advance the national, economic and energy security of the United States. Dr. Froula received his award in Fusion and Plasma Sciences for innovative research in laser plasma physics including pioneering spatiotemporal pulse shaping techniques, focused laser plasma instability research, and novel high-resolution Thomson scattering methods.